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Plays Newport

The Island Pond Boys team visited Newport last Thursday to play the Newport boys. It being the opening day of the Chautauqua the town was crowded with sightseers, and a great display of flags made the town quite lively, our youngsters, some who had never seen the town before looked amazed at the decorations and more than that one remarked to Mr. Speers that Island Pond did not have such decorations up, when the Chautauqua was being held here by the time the game started quite a crowd had collected as the Newport Boys evidently had made it well known as was evidenced upon the arrival of our youngsters. The day was glorious and as the game progressed the spectators got treated to some delightful playing, all the Island Pond Boys, were out to win, and more than once Mr. Speers expressed the fears that our youngsters would be nervous, as to the crowd was so great, but the crowd knew our youngsters were playing a good clean game, and they received the support of the crowd.

The game lasted only 68 minutes and the result was a splendid victory for the Island Pond Boys, by a score of 4 to 2. Every boy on the Island Pond team played a good game.

The Newport Boys also deserve credit for the part they played.

But it was our youngsters lucky day hence the result, our boys were to have played Girl Guides Ball team at Sherbrooke this week.

But as the G G Girls cannot get all their players together, owing to some of them being engaged at the Fair, it has been postponed, it is possible that North Stratford or Newport Boys may come here this week, if the youngsters should play at Warner's Grove this week, it is hoped that the young and budding talent, which with proper handling can develop into first class Ball players Townies show your grit and encourage the youngsters, Monday, being Labor Day and a general holiday. Mr. Speers is trying to arrange a match at Groveton, as the Town team will be there that day and as they are having quite a Gala Day there it will be in keeping with an enjoyable Holiday Should it be arranged the boys will play at 10 A. M.

Pity the City Dweller

We ought to congratulate ourselves upon the fact that we are living in a small town, where most of us own our homes and those of us who do not have landlords who are human. In many cities the people must live in flats, homes being almost an unknown luxury, and are at the mercy of rent profiteers and heartless landlords. Rents this fall have advanced as a rule \$10 a month, while in many cases they have increased as much as \$25. And the worst of it is that flats are so scarce that the people must either pay rent demanded or move into the street. Pity the city dweller.

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ISLAND POND, VERMONT

BASE BALL
Orleans vs. Island Pond
Saturday, Aug. 30
Warner's Grove

Governor's Day at State Fair

Every New England Governor Expected to be Present on Thursday day—Big Exhibits—Big Spectacular Events

The final meeting of the Vermont State Fair Commission to arrange for the holding of the State Fair on the grounds at White River Junction Sept. 9, 10, 11, and 12 has been held and the O. K. of approval has been placed upon the acts of Secretary Fred L. Davis, who states emphatically that this will be the best State Fair ever held in Vermont.

Based on the entries that have been made the cattle, horse, sheep and swine departments will show the highest classes of breeding and be the largest ever seen upon the State Fair grounds.

The Morgan horse department, under the supervision of the Morgan Horse Club, promises to excel all previous exhibits. And it should be known that more persons are breeding Morgan horses today than any year since the organization of the Morgan Horse Club.

That there will be thrills a-plenty is assured. With Lieut. "Jack" Lynch, one of the most expert of aviators, flying will be demonstrated in all of its interesting intricacies. There will be loop-the-loops, tail spins, the falling leaf and every "stunt" known in flying.

Every day of the fair there will be the hottest kind of horse-racing, with liberal purses and some of the best horses out this season.

Thursday will be Governor's Day, with Governor P. W. Clement of Vermont, Governor Calvin Coolidge of Massachusetts, Governor John H. Bartlett of New Hampshire, Governor Marcus H. Holcomb of Connecticut and Governor R. L. Beeckman of Rhode Island, invited to be present and boxes on the grand stand have been reserved for them and their staffs.

On Friday, the last day of the fair, for the first time on a Vermont fair ground, there will take place motor cycle races, with the best drivers from Massachusetts, Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont. Few competitive events are more thrilling than good motor cycle races.

Music will be furnished throughout the fair by Rochester band and the Claremont-Windsor band, one band occupying a new stand on the plaza fronting the administration building.

Tuesday and Wednesday evening will be glad carnival time, with the fair grounds beautifully illuminated and shows of various kinds in full swing.

There will be reduced fare on the railroads with special trains, which will be announced later.

Be Prepared for Vacation Ills

Change of food and water sometimes causes indigestion that leads to sick headaches, biliousness, bloating, sour stomach, gas, bad breath and coated tongue. Foley's Cathartic Tablets should be in every traveler's grip. They act without pain, griping or nausea. They are fine and wholesome physic.

John W. Thurston, Adv.

Taken from a Hudson Falls, N. Y. paper.

Mr. Gonyea Tells of War Experiences

Soldier Participated in Five Battles

Hudson Falls, New York—Sergeant Abner—Gonyea, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Gonyea, Gibson Avenue, has arrived in town after being absent for eighteen months. He received his honorable discharge from military service at Camp Upton, Sergeant Gonyea has the distinction of fighting in at least five of the decisive battles of the war. He is still suffering slightly from a wound in his left leg through which a machine gun bullet passed while in active service at Chateau Thierry. He has not fully recovered from the effects of the mustard gas, his legs were badly burned and a small quantity entered his lungs and the physicians say that he will recover and in time he will not feel the effects of "gassing." As a member of the 325th. infantry he participated in the battles of Chateau Thierry, St. Mihiel, the Argonne forest, Thiercourt and in the Toul-sector. At Chateau Thierry his division suffered the greatest privation for two days and two nights they were without food and after the first day the water supply was exhausted, supplies were ordered toward the front line trenches but the firing was so severe that the automobile trucks could get no nearer than three miles of the firing line.

He described the fighting as most intense in speaking of this battle he said to a post-star representative. I will never forget this battle so long as God lets me live. It was an experience never to be forgotten. The only protection offered us was the good old earth and I tell you the ground never looked better to me than on that occasion. I hugged it whenever the opportunity was offered and that was real often. I never expected to see good old Hudson Falls again, men fell around me like leaves from the trees in autumn, comrades with whom I had banded for many a night. The sights were heart rendering, one brave fellow, who had stated on many occasions and particularly when our ship left New York for the trip across that he would never live to return, was completely riddled by machine gun bullets at Thiercourt, another bloody battle occurred and our division was on the fighting line for twenty-six days. Here we suffered the loss of many officers and for four hours I was one of the Sergeants who directed the operations of our unit pending the arrival of new officers from the rear. Here we were obliged to ford a stream and were engaged with the enemy when the water was above our waist-line. The Huns were driven back and we went behind the lines for a much needed rest. Speaking of the work of the Salvation Army, Sergeant-Gonyea was loud in his praise of this organization. He said, "Every American soldier will now take off his hat when the salvation people who made life half-way bearable for the soldiers of our division, time and again they came right to the front line trenches with hot coffee, chocolate and doughnuts. The other war relief societies were 'over there' but did not come as strong as the followers of the tambourine, the young Sargent expressed his intense feeling of happiness that he was back in Hudson Falls and enjoy a good rest and try to forget the horrors of the world war.

Mr. Gonyea is a nephew of Mrs. Preston Moulthrop, Derby street.

The yeast cake is coming into its own. A report from the Agricultural Department shows that since July 1st, the demand for yeast has almost doubled in every country. It is not stated, however, that the increase can be traced to the popular use of yeast as an ingredient in making home-made beverages.

New Jersey sent a delegation of fifty mayors from towns in the State to demand legislation of Congress to lower the cost of living. The party used taxicabs to travel the two or three blocks from the Union Railroad Station to the Capitol—a high start to secure a low cost.

RAW FURS
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SELECTION, MINN.

F. E. Boyce Won 54 Points in State Checker Tournament

Barre Man Ties for Lead

The largest and most interesting meeting ever held of the state checker club came to a close late Saturday night at Randolph Centre, with David Stephen of Barre, present champion, and W. C. Hoag of Burlington, ex-champion, tied with 59 points each. L. J. Egleston of Rutland, has 57 points and still has William Gill of Burlington to play. If Mr. Egleston wins one game and draws the other he will take first place and the championship, and if he either wins one and loses one, or draw both, he will be tied with Stephen and Hoag for first honors. The two games with Mr. Gill will probably be played this evening.

The tournament was attended by 21 players, from the following towns: Burlington, Castleton, Norwich, Newbury, Bradford, Barre, Marshfield, Island Pond, and Rutland.

One of the big surprises of the meeting was the playing of F. E. Boyce of Island Pond, who had never played in a meeting of this kind. Mr. Boyce started winning at the outset and finished with 54 points. He was right on the heels of the three leading men all the time.

It was voted to hold the next meeting at Montpelier, beginning Monday, Dec. 29. The detailed score of L. J. Egleston, with more men to play, is 22 wins, 3 losses 13 draws. Following is the score of each player.

W. C. Hoag, 59; David Stephen, 59; L. J. Egleston, 57; F. E. Boyce, 54; W. H. Messer, 51; Wm. Gill, 48; Q. H. Perry, 46; E. N. Hyzer, 43; A. Anderson, 41; C. N. Moulton, 41; W. O. Johnson, 39; L. J. Pell, 39; A. C. Blanchard, 34; S. J. Stevens, 34; M. K. Judd, 33; H. H. Rice, 33; J. N. Taggart, 31; F. G. Lamberton, 21; Anna Fish, 15.

House-work in Hot Weather

Hot weather brings no relief from housework drudgery. If anything woman's work is more trying. Overwork and worry cause kidney trouble, resulting in back ache, sore muscles, stiff joints, rheumatic pains, tired feeling and other distressing symptoms. Foley's Kidney Pills help weak kidneys.

John W. Thurston, Adv.

CHURCH NOTES

Methodist Church Notes
Sunday Morning Worship, 11:00
Sunday School, 12:15
Junior League, 4:00
Epworth League, 6:15
Evening Service, 7:00
Prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 7:30.

Fred Wilcock, Pastor.

Christ Church

Friday, Aug. 29, Choir Rehearsal, 7:30 P. M.
Saturday, Aug. 30, Altar Guild, 3 P. M.
SUNDAY, Aug. 31, Bishop's Visitation. Holy Communion, 8:30 A. M. Confirmation, Choral Eucharist, and Sermon 11 A. M. Celebrant and Preacher, THE BISHOP.

Sunday School 12:15
Catechism Diplomas will be presented by the Bishop.

Festal Evensong and Sermon, 7 P. M. Preacher: The Bishop. Communicants are requested to note that the first celebration of the Holy Communion will be at 8:30 A. M. and as many as possible should endeavor to receive at this time.

H. Montgomery Simpson, Rector.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Morning Worship at 11:00
Sunday School at 12:00
Communion Service at 3:00
Evening Worship at 7:00
Y. P. S. C. E. Tuesday evening at 7:15

Prayermeeting, Thursday evening at 7:30.
Ladies' Aid Thursday afternoon in the church parlor at 2:30.

Rev. Robert Lawton, Pastor

VERMONT FAIRS

Community—County—State

Dates Held

Addison County Fair, Aug. 26-29, Middlebury; Lamoille Valley Fair, Aug. 26-28, Morrisville; Franklin County Fair, Sept. 1-4, Sheldon Jet.; Orleans County Fair, Sept. 2-4, Barton; Rutland Fair and Horse Show, Sept. 1-5, Rutland; Springfield Agricultural Society Fair, Sept. 2-3, Springfield; Battenkill Valley Industrial Fair, Sept. 9-11, Manchester; Chittenden County Fair, Sept. 9-12, Essex Ctr.; VERMONT STATE FAIR, Sept. 9-12, White River Jet.; Caledonia Grange Fair, Sept. 13, East Hardwick; Black River Valley Grange Fair, Sept. 18-19, Ludlow; Dog River Valley Fair, Sept. 16-18, Northfield; Windsor County Fair, Sept. 16-18, Woodstock; Caledonia County Fair, Sept. 23-25, St. Johnsbury; Union Agricultural Fair, Sept. 30-Oct. 1-2, Tunbridge; Valley Fair, Sept. 30-Oct. 1, Brattleboro; Wilmington Farmer's Day, Oct. 8, Wilmington.

Hoarded Food to be Sold

The Department of Justice has ordered that food seized by its officers in various parts of the country shall be put on sale at moderate prices. Attorney General Palmer is in New York conferring with Food Administrator Williams and members of the New York Fair Price Commission and receiving reports as to what food is stored in warehouses and cold storage plants. All hoarded food that is seized will be placed on sale at once and the opinion is expressed that this will do much toward reducing living costs.

Representatives Mondell, Republican leader in the House, has expressed the view that the House Committee on Agriculture will report the amended Food Control Act, fixing a fine of \$6,000 on profiteering and including a provision making wearing apparel subject to the Act.

Mrs. John Dickson is visiting relatives in West Milan, N. H.

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Stunts on Midway

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Lieut. "Jack" Lynch

Will give the most daring exhibitions of flying in his powerful biplane

Cattle Exhibit

Famous as a stock show, this department will reveal the advanced Vermont has made as we as showing the best of cattle from other states.

The Horse Exhibit

will be extensive, showing a breeds, and including the biggest showing of the Morgan Horse.

Motor Cycle Races on Friday Sept. 12

The fast riders from Massachusetts, New Hampshire and Vermont have entered. Don't miss this big feature the last day of the fair.

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